

PERFORMANCE NOTE: AGENCY FORM

H.B. 144

SHORT TITLE: Elections Complaints Amendments

Joint Rule 4-2-404 requires a Performance Review Note anytime the legislature significantly increases funding for: ☐ New agency ☐ New services or benefits ☐ Serving a new or larger population

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HOW WILL THE PUBLIC BENEFIT?

1 What is the purpose and the duties of the new program, agency, services, or population served? JR4-2-404(4)(c)(i)

The bill provides for the Utah Elections Board to review election complaints of "significant violations" under the election code and provide information to the Lt. Governor and/or issue advisory opinions.

2 What services are provided by the funding increase? JR4-2-404(4)(c)(ii)

There will be a requirement to pay for the per diem for each of the three board members, which is anticipated to not be significant fiscal impact.

3 What are the expected outcomes of the new or expanded program and how will the public benefit? JR4-2-404(4)(c)(iii)

The Utah Election Board will review significant violations election complaints and will provide the Lt. Governor with recommendation on how to proceed and/or provide advisory opinions.

4 How will the bill be implemented and what resources are available to achieve the expected outcomes? JR4-2-404(4)(c)(iv)

The Governor appoints the members of the board and the Lt. Governor's Office will prepare them to process complaints.

5 How will the proposed agency activities cause the expected outcomes and public benefit in 3?

The Election Board will be independent and provide an additional review of election complaints. Advisory opinion will assist candidates in understanding election law requirements.

2. PERFORMANCE MEASURES:

What measures will managers and policymakers use to know if the new or expanded program is providing the expected outcomes and public benefits? Provide one, two, and three year goals or targets, actual results and measures if available to serve as a baseline, and outcomes.

Goal (public benefit):

Measure Title:

Description:

With an Utah Election Board, it will assist the Lt. Governor in his/her decision on how to address election complaints alleging significant violations . It will provide candidates with better guidance if advisory opinions are issued.

Fiscal Year:	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
Target or Benchmark:					
Baseline:					

How will program managers collect this performance information and ensure its reliability?

Received feedback from the Lt. Governor, complainants, and candidates.

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